

# FOCUS

## Listening

**1 [Track 18]** Listen to four people talking about job interviews. Match statements A-E with speakers 1-4. There is one extra statement.

The speaker

- A was surprised that he/she was taken on.
- B was able to improve the terms offered.
- C had had the wrong kind of work experience.
- D felt it was a very rigorous selection process.
- E turned down the offer of a job.

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**2 [Track 19]** Listen to an interview about learning.

Choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

**1** According to the professor, in order to learn well you need to

- A have access to information online.
- B read or listen to information more than once.
- C have good handwriting.

**2** The reason why writing with a pen helps us to learn is that

- A the pen touches your hand in certain places.
- B you have to think about what you are writing more carefully.
- C you are more likely to re-read handwritten notes.

**3** According to the professor, one thing that can stop you concentrating is

- A moving around too much.
- B eating too many snacks.
- C feeling hungry.

**4** The professor believes that music

- A helps some people more than others.
- B can help us to remember things.
- C is as distracting as other kinds of noise.

**5** Which of these, according to the professor, helps to motivate learners?

- A Making interesting mind maps
- B Having reachable goals
- C Finishing the working day with a walk

**6** The programme's main aim is to

- A encourage more people to study.
- B compare different kinds of learners.
- C suggest ways to improve people's learning skills.